GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

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IMPLEMENTATION OF ONE RANK ONE PENSION SCHEME
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposal to implement one rank one pension for the defence personnel is pending with the Government since long; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to implement the above proposal?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) & (b): The proposal was referred to the 5th Central Pay Commission who did not recommend the same.Subsequently, the Government considered the proposal again. However, it has not been found feasible to agree to the same for administrative and financial reasons and possible repercussions of the same for civil side, public sector and autonomous bodies.